

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4-7, and 9-30 are pending in the application. Claims 2-3, and 8 were canceled by previous amendment. Claims 1, 9, 18, 21, and 23 are amended. New claim 30 is added.

Applicants incorporate herein by reference in their entirety the Remarks in Applicants' Amendment And Response to Final Office Action mailed October 7, 2005.

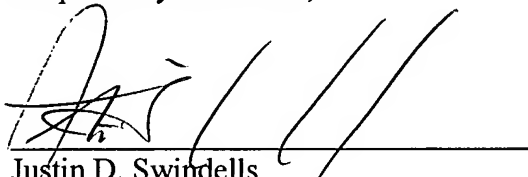
It is believed that all pending claims are in condition for allowance, and favorable action toward that end is requested.

Conclusion

A check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed for the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) fee. No other fees are believed to be due in connection with this response. However, should any fees be required (except for payment of the issue fee), the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the fees from Jenkins & Gilchrist, P.C. Deposit Account No. 10-0447, Order No. CRC-167/47181-00289USPT.

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Date

Respectfully submitted,



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